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for a nightingale trip in downtown Manhattan.

12:40 P. M.—Reception and luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce.

3:15 P. M.—Tour by boat around Manhattan Island, landing at 129th street and North River, where motor cars will be provided. Thence to the tomb of Gen. Grant, where they will lay a wreath and where troops will be reviewed. Thence by Riverside Drive and Central Park to Judge Gray's house.

6:45 P. M.—Banquet in their honor at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel under the auspices of the citizens committee, Mayor Mitchell presiding.

**NEAR TO A VICTORY.**

Special Despatch to THE SUN  
CAMP MEADE, Md., Sept. 27.  
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**Gen. Maurice Explains the Object of Flanders Battle.**

London, Sept. 27.—The British in Flanders almost have reached the stage where they can announce the beginning of an important series of engagements according to a statement made to the Associated Press to-day by Major-General Maurice, commander of military operations on the War Office.

"When we finish getting these ridges we shall claim a victory," he said, discussing the furious succession of struggles which appear to be reaching a climax.

Gen. Maurice has just returned from the Italian front. Of the Flanders battle he said one of the most important aspects of it was the use of the British reserves. Success after the Allies hold the ridges, he believes, will depend entirely upon ability to bring up more reserves

sources and peace will come as fast as the great war started." The expression to-day of Major-General Joseph E. Kuhn, commander of the Meade.

Gen. Kuhn scouted the proposition that money is the sine qua non of peace. "A pile of gold covering the area camp and piled as high as you make it would not whip Germany," he said. "and neither would it be able to choke a single German with its weight." He said that the Allies all wrong in their idea that money to make war, and that it will be won by America's gold.

"We have no gold or money, land resources, or commodities to make the war that decides the fate of Germany has no more gold, but

During the last month there has been a long pause in Flanders, thanks to the rain and mud," he said. "The pause made necessary more ample preparations than ordinarily after a first advance—preparations that involved the launching of an entirely new battle. But the result amply justified the preparations, and while on previous occasions we won our objectives only after bitter fighting we yesterday were successful in launching all of our objectives before 8 o'clock in the morning.

"The fighting yesterday was in the most important sector of the ridge system dominating the plain of Flanders, and the key to the whole series of ridges. There is a good deal more to be said about this battle than what we gained."

The official statement of the British army from the beginning all agree that since the first battle of Ypres there

never has been the slaughter of the German military which they suffered in the regular counter attacks of the past few days. The Germans counter attacked in masses, and dozens of these counter attacks were swept away by our fire with terrible German losses.

"Regarding the east front situation, it is chiefly remarkable for the little advantage the Germans have taken of the notorious situation in Russia," Gen. Eisenhower said. "The situation is. Have they done so little because they have been unable to do more, or have they withheld their hand for political or other reasons? It is too early to reach a decision on this point, but I have my own mind I have little doubt that the strain on the west front is the chief reason for the small German progress in the east."

**DEB CROSS ISSUE**

# RED CROSS RAFFLE HALTED BY SHERIFF

## Society Women's "Gambling" Portrait Sale at Mineola Fair Banned.

Mrs. Frank N. Doubleday and other society women of the Meadowbrook colony are much upset to-day because Sheriff Pithecia S. Seaman halted a raffle which they were conducting on the Mineola, L. I., Fair Grounds for the benefit

of the Red Cross. Fifty pretty girls, fetchingly attired as Red Cross nurses, were on duty, each wearing a white uniform and \$3 each, and were doing a rushing business among the crowds attending the annual Nassau County Fair, which is now in progress, when Seaman interjected:

"There'll be no gambling in the county where I'm Sheriff, even if it is for charity," he announced.

"You could go on our Fair Association might lose its charter, which cost us \$4,000," interjected Thomas S. Racon, treasurer of the Queens-Nassau Agricultural Association.

"That's all right," he then said. "It was for a portrait to be painted by Virginia Clark, of the winner of theaffle. The portrait was valued at \$500. It was suggested that Virginia Clark paint Sheriff Seaman's portrait, as apparently there will be no

as this causes a waste of labor in piping the coal to make the new electrically, extra labor at the time the electricity was made in the work in ever-conceivable ways."

"And you think that peace was as quickly as the war started?" asked.

"Why not?" he replied.

**Gen. Bridges Loses a Leg**  
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*London Times*  
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**LONDON, Sept. 27**—Major-General M. Bridges, who was a member of the Ralfour mission to the States, was shot in the leg, and amputated below the knee, following wound received in battle.

candidate for the honor.

**ENGLISH RAISE BOND BID.**

**5 Per Cent. Offered in New War Issue.**

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN  
LONDON, Sept. 27.—The British public now has to new war bonds to buy and new bond posters to read. Premier Lloyd George to-day conferred with leading bankers arranging for the issue made necessary by the failure of the old exchequer bonds to attract sufficient investors. The government ceased offering the exchequer bonds last week.

It is estimated that the new bonds will yield 5 per cent., investors having the choice of time when they desire to be paid, varying from five to ten years.

**THE NEW BOND.**

One thing that may cause disappointment to many British investors, even to many American investors, is the fact that there will be no premium bonds or big prizes. The Government has promised to appoint a committee to consider premium bonds when Parliament reconvenes, but it is not clear whether the Government will do so.